

## SHOT-SPILT TONGUE HIDES RED SECRET

He Is Unable to Talk of  
Shooting in Home of Mrs.  
Hazel Warner.

## OTHER GUESTS GONE

Police Get No Trace of Host-  
ess or Members of Break-  
fast Party.

## COLLINS'S TRAIL SOUGHT

Jealousy by Him Believed Sole  
Motive Behind Attack on  
Salesman.

Joan H. Reid, the traveling salesman who was shot in the home of Mrs. Hazel Warner at 1892 University avenue, The Bronx, Sunday morning, still hovers between life and death in Fordham Hospital, unable to communicate with detectives or representatives of District Attorney Glennon who have been constantly at his bedside since he was taken to the hospital in what was deemed to be a dying condition, half an hour after the shooting.

One of the five bullets pumped into Reid as he lay on the floor of Mrs. Warner's bedroom by the man who entered the house so unceremoniously that morning, traversed and split Reid's tongue. It was learned yesterday from this or other injuries inflicted by the bullets which hit him in the neck and forehead a paralysis of the motor nerves had developed, so the man can move neither his arms nor legs.

Reports he had written answers on a pad to questions to the effect he did not know "Don" Collins or Arthur Tyler, the ex-convict friend of Mrs. Warner, for whom the police have sent out a general alarm on a charge of felonious assault, were denounced by Assistant District Attorney Oliver as baseless. Into the same category fall reports he had written on a pad that "if he got well he would tell all, but if he didn't he would be silent."

Police and the District Attorney are as far from a solution of the mystery as they were Sunday afternoon. They have only the statements of George Krueger, relative and houseman for Mrs. Warner, to go on. Krueger is the only person of the six who were in the house at the time of the shooting available for police interrogation. Mrs. Warner, her friend and cousin Miss Wiley, Frank T. Boylan, who was at breakfast with Miss Wiley when the unexpected visitor arrived, and Tyler or Collins himself, have succeeded in keeping out of the police net.

But Inspector John D. Coughlin, commanding the detective division at Police Headquarters, is confident they will not all stay in obscurity long. Collins, he is convinced, has made a getaway for the time being, but the police are sure, sooner or later, they will find him. He believes, say under cover more than another day or so. Then, it is expected, the truth of how Reid came to be shot will be made known.

If the story told by Krueger, who is an uncle of Miss Wiley and so related to Mrs. Warner, is to be entirely believed, there is no other explanation of the crime or dread of publicity for the disappearance of Boylan and the two women when they fled in Boylan's roadster after he and Krueger had rushed Reid to Fordham Hospital. But there are several points the police are inclined to question in his story, basing their suspicions largely on the fact he says he had locked himself in his room when the unexpected visitor, who he declares was Collins, appeared on the front porch.

Collins, or Tyler, as Mrs. Warner knew him, did not "pack a gun," the police think. He was too well known to detectives, and too frequently in trouble to risk arrest under the Sullivan law. Besides he is out on bail pending appeal from his last serious conviction, when he was sentenced in March, 1920, to two years for grand larceny.

Jealousy of Reid, who had shown a passionate devotion to Mrs. Warner since he first made her acquaintance a few weeks ago, is believed to be the only motive for the crime. Any relations Mrs. Warner and Tyler or Collins had in connection with the man's known propensity for "taking down" rich men under circumstances which would impose silence upon them had nothing to do with the shooting of Reid, the police are convinced, and the stories of a "big scandal" behind the crime, involving a "mysterious unknown," are denounced by Inspector Coughlin as "boah."

Mrs. Crakow, mother of Reid, and proprietor of an extensive tobacconist business in women's wear, said yesterday her son, who is her only child, never had spoken to her of any of the people concerned in the Warner house party. Though on the most cordial relations with his mother, he has lived his own life since he married again, while acting as a salesman for the firm.

Charles Leighton of 16 West Fifty-sixth street and Lella and Audrey Lawrence, living at the same address, were questioned yesterday by District Attorney Glennon. Leighton was examined before the Grand Jury and told some things about Boylan, Collins and Mrs. Warner which may help the police to find them. The women were told to come back Thursday. They said they knew nothing of the circumstances of the shooting.

## ARREST SPEEDS CITY'S RICHMOND GAS FIGHT

Employee of Company Dark-  
ens City's Offices.

The dispute between the city and the Richmond Light and Railroad Company as to whether the lighting of the city's offices in Concord is included in the contract for current for the underground trolley lines on Staten Island was sent on its way to settlement yesterday afternoon when James Purcell of 167 Jones street, was arrested for cutting off the lights in the building. Grover A. Whalen, Commissioner of Plant and Structures, had anticipated such a move after the city had failed to pay several months' bills for the lights and had a policeman on watch.

Purcell was arraigned before Magistrate William T. Fetherston at New Brighton, charged with malicious mischief, and was paroled in the custody of Detachment C. Kadie, attorney for the lighting company. Mr. Kadie said Purcell was instructed by the company to turn off the current for the purpose of preventing a suit to settle the controversy.

There are dozens of Concord House apartments in The Bronx. Want Ad section. Look them over—Care.

## RESCUERS OFF SANDY HOOK SEEK 2 DRIFTING OUT TO SEA

Motorboat Mabel's Engine Stalls in Choppy Sea, One  
of Three Occupants Swims Ashore and  
Police Launches Start a Search.

A motorboat, the engine useless because of lack of gasoline, was drifting out to sea through the lower bay at 2 o'clock this morning, carrying Herman Wadel of 162 Sixty-fifth street, Bayonne, and his six-year-old son, William. Police launches were in pursuit, but at the headquarters of the marine division of the Police Department it was said that they would not be able to sight the helpless craft until daylight, as she carried no lights. News of the predicament of Wadel and the boy was given to health officers on Swinburne Island by Otto Wagner, their companion on a fishing trip. Wagner jumped overboard and swam almost a mile against an ebb tide to send help to them.

A watchman on duty on the south side of Swinburne Island found Wagner exhausted on the beach. At first it was thought he was a stowaway from an incoming steamer. Stimulants were given him and he then was able to tell the story of the drifting boat. He said he and Wadel and the boy went on a fishing trip early yesterday. They spent most of the day on Roamer Shoals and their luck was so good they remained until 9 o'clock last night. Wadel was navigating the boat, a thirty-five foot launch named Mabel, past the

## WOMAN RECOVERS HER STOLEN SILVER

Spies Article in Shop, Cails  
Cop and Finds 53 of  
60 Pieces.

Mrs. Howard von Bonnell, wife of the traffic manager of the Sheffield Farms Dairy Company, of 895 St. Nicholas avenue, went for a walk yesterday afternoon, and when she returned home a few hours later brought back with her virtually all of the silver wedding presents she lost when her home was robbed on the night of April 18. Abraham Ginsberg, 33 years old, proprietor of a curio shop at 1255 St. Nicholas avenue, spent last night in the West 152d street station as a result of Mrs. von Bonnell's stroll.

Mrs. von Bonnell wandered up as far as 174th street. Her home is near 156th street. As she was about to return home Mrs. von Bonnell's eye caught an object in Ginsberg's window. She walked over, took a good look and then hurried to a telephone. Detectives McCoy and Ornstein of the West 152d street station appeared a few minutes later.

Flanked by the detectives, Mrs. von Bonnell entered the shop and inquired about silver knives and forks displayed in the window. The proprietor took them out of the window for her inspection. Mrs. von Bonnell then turned to the detectives and said they were the ones stolen from her home. The curio shop was searched, the police say, and fifty-eight of sixty pieces of silver, valued at approximately \$4,000, were recovered.

Ginsberg told the detectives he and Max Markowitz, his brother-in-law, had purchased the silver at an auction down town. Markowitz, who lives in 1817 Mohican avenue, The Bronx, was arrested last week by Detectives Arstein and McCoy. He denied all knowledge of the robbery, and said he purchased the silver in good faith. He was charged with receiving stolen goods.

## CARUSO'S SLEEPY CHEF LOSES \$770 JUDGMENT

Judge Reverses Previous  
Finding Against the Tenor.

Enrico Caruso's former cook, Carlos Raggiacozzo, who was discharged after working in the tenor's cottage at East Hampton, L. I., because he wouldn't get up in time for breakfast, yesterday lost the \$770 judgment he obtained last January. Justice Morris Eder of the Ninth District Municipal Court announced that he had reconsidered his verdict and ruled in favor of the singer.

At the trial Justice Eder ruled that testimony regarding Raggiacozzo's fondness for sleep, and other acts which put him in disfavor in the household, in the absence of witnesses, was only hearsay. On the appeal, Albert Connelley of Brooklyn argued that as counsel for the cook had not objected to this testimony the Justice was required to accept it.

## GOVERNESS ENDS LIFE IN LEAP FROM WINDOW

Miss Jehk Had Been Em-  
ployed by Milton Adler.

Miss Adele Jehk, 54, governess for Mr. and Mrs. Milton Adler, who live in the Hamilton, an apartment hotel at 413 West seventy-third street, committed suicide yesterday afternoon by leaping from a bedroom window on the ninth floor of the building. She had been ill.

Mrs. Adler was in another room when the governess jumped. Hotel employees heard the crash when the body hit the flagged courtyard.

Miss Jehk entered the employ of Mrs. Adler about four years ago. In Rochester and came to this city with the family two months ago.

## \$207,800 IS ADDED TO COCHRAN'S ESTATE

Mother of Yachtsman Had  
Unlisted Securities.

Malcolm F. Griggs, lawyer, of 327 Fifth avenue, an executor of the estate of Mrs. Eva S. Cochran of Yonkers, who died twelve years ago, filed in the State Transfer Tax Appraiser's office in Yonkers yesterday a supplemental appraisal of \$207,800. Mrs. Cochran was mother of Alexander S. Cochran, a yachtsman, who a year ago married Miss Waska, Polish prima donna.

The executor is going over the will of Mrs. Cochran recently discovered and found that she had owned considerable real estate, consisting mostly of trust funds Mrs. Cochran had established. Her estate originally was assessed at between \$3,000,000 and \$5,000,000.

SEVENTEEN DOGS POISONED.  
Animal lovers of Monclair are

## TEXT OF STILLMAN COMPLAINT IS GIVEN

Document Charges Banker's  
Wife With Specific Acts of  
Misconduct.

The text of the complaint in the suit filed by James A. Stillman against Mrs. Anne T. Stillman and her infant son, Guy, for divorce and the determination of the percentage of the child became public yesterday. It charges Mrs. Stillman with specific acts of misconduct with Fred K. Beauvais, the Indian guide, and says flatly that the child Guy is the son of Beauvais and Mrs. Stillman.

"It is alleged on information and belief," says the second count in the complaint, "that Mrs. Stillman was guilty of misconduct with Frederick K. Beauvais, the French Canadian guide, since May 1, 1917, at Grande Anne and on the St. Maurice River, Province of Quebec, Dominion of Canada, and at Grande Piles, on the St. Maurice River, Province of Quebec, Dominion of Canada, and at other places along and in the neighborhood of the said St. Maurice River, and at the house of plaintiff and defendant, Anne T. Stillman, at Pocantico Hills, Westchester county, State of New York."

Mrs. Stillman's complaint alleges that the only issue of his and Mrs. Stillman's marriage are Anne T. Stillman, born on February 28, 1902; James Stillman, born on January 24, 1904; and Alexander Stillman, born on September 25, 1911. He declares that the child Guy Stillman, born on or about November 7, 1918, is not this child, but is illegitimate and the child of Frederick K. Beauvais.

## ARCHIBALD AND HAGUE SWORN IN AS MAYORS

Newark and Jersey City In-  
stall Commissioners.

The recently elected City Commissioners of Newark and Jersey City were sworn in yesterday afternoon in the city hall of the two cities. Alexander Archibald was chosen Mayor of Newark to succeed Charles P. Gilles, who was re-elected as a Commissioner, but who finished so low in the race that he failed to be chosen Mayor again, while Frank Hague was again chosen to be Mayor of Jersey City.

In Jersey City the new commission has the same members as before. All of the old members having been re-elected, while in Newark there is one new Commissioner, Frederick C. Breidenbach, who succeeds John P. Monahan. He was given the Department of Revenue and Finance.

All of the commissioners in Jersey City were chosen to head the same departments they had charge of during the last term.

## PRALL SUED ON \$5,000 NOTE HE GAVE IN 1919

Action Is Based on Failure to  
Get Collection.

An action to recover \$5,000 from Laurence Donahue and Arthur J. Prall, president of the Board of Education, on a fifteen day note Mr. Prall gave to Mr. Donahue, August 4, 1919, was begun yesterday in the Supreme Court by Michael Athias of 55 West Ninety-first street.

The complaint shows Donahue transferred the note to the Board of Education, who were unable to collect on it, and assigned it to the Progressive Smelting and Metal Corporation, which in turn assigned it to the plaintiff.

## EX-GOV. BALDWIN IMPROVES.

NEW HAVEN, May 17.—The condition of former Gov. Simon E. Baldwin, who recently underwent a slight operation, was reported favorable today. Physicians said he soon would be able to leave his bed.

It has always been the custom for The Herald to give special attention to this department. That is why such a great number of New York families have quite naturally become accustomed to turning to it every morning.

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## ENDS HAMMERSTEIN CHEAP OPERA VISION

Negotiations Fail to Give  
Manhattan House New  
Lease of Existence.

## AT AUCTION JUNE 22

Widow of Impresario Gives  
Up Long Fight to Real-  
ize His Dream.

## BAD FAITH IS CHARGED

Chicago Company and Gallo  
Said to Have Abandoned Plan  
to Buy Building.

The dream of the late Oscar Hammerstein, to which he gave the last years of his life and which his widow has struggled to fulfill, of a popular priced opera which would place good music within the reach of everybody, has definitely ended. It was announced last night by Lawrence Berenson, receiver for Mrs. Hammerstein, that negotiations which, if carried through, would have assured the Manhattan Opera House at least another year of life have failed and that the \$1,000,000 structure in West Thirty-fourth street will be sold to business interests other than the theatre.

An offer has been made for the property by manufacturers in the cloak and suit trade, and other commercial interests have expressed interest in it. Mrs. Hammerstein declares that her experience of the last two years in trying to keep Mr. Hammerstein's project afloat has made her indifferent as to what becomes of the property. She said last night that apparently "no one cares whether New York has another opera house or not, and so far as I am concerned, if a slaughter house makes the best offer for this building the slaughter house can have it."

Mr. Berenson, in his announcement, accused the Chicago Opera Company and Portino Gallo, managing director of the Gallo Grand Opera Company, of "an absolute breach of faith" in abruptly terminating negotiations which he had been given reason to regard as completed.

Mrs. Hammerstein said her efforts to keep the opera house open have been persistently attacked, and that she has been informed of repeated attempts on the part of the Metropolitan Opera Company to stir up trouble among her employees and to make her path difficult in other ways.

Although a Supreme Court order was issued some time ago directing the sale of the property at auction, through an action filed by Mrs. Stella Hammerstein Keating and Mrs. Rose Hammerstein, daughters of the impresario, to satisfy a judgment in their favor of \$143,324.83, Mr. Berenson believes the property can be sold in a more advantageous manner before the date set for the auction, June 22.

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## FAKE GAS INSPECTOR SNATCHES HER \$2,000

Calls to Correct Bill and  
Grabs Satchel.

A man posing as a gas inspector told Mrs. Emma C. Bailey, 65, of 124 East 110th street, yesterday afternoon he thought it was time to correct her bill. He charged her, and he would make a refund if she would show him her last month's bill. She went to get her bag and had opened it to look for the receipt but when the man snatched the bag and ran, she pursued, but the man got away.

In the bag were cash and jewelry worth \$2,000. The Bailey family was to attend a fraternal dinner last night, and went to the Mount Morris Bank to get her jewelry from safe deposit. She had her home called for her minutes when the man called, he evidently having followed her from the bank.

Four men arrested in the investigation of the assault and robbery of Mrs. Pauline Jacobs at 140 flow avenue on May 5, were freed yesterday in Morrisania Court. They were Louis Gold, 88 East 163d street; Samuel Walsh, 100 West 100th street; James J. Singer, 88 East 162d street; and William Kieburg, 285 East 153th street. The Bronx. Mrs. Jacobs died Monday.

## COP QUITS TO GET RICH DRIVING A PIE WAGON

No Money in Police Game, He  
Finds in Six Months' Try.

"I don't like this game. There's no money in it," Probationary Policeman Al. M. Collins of four years' service in station, Brooklyn, declared yesterday as he walked up to the desk and handed over his shield to Lieut. Fleming.

"I'm going to drive a pie wagon," he added. Lieut. Fleming tried to dissuade Gekko, who had been on the force only six months, but the probationary policeman could not see it that way. Gekko asserted that he never would become wealthy by being a cop. He thought that as a pie wagon driver he had better chances.

## CHAUFFEUR GIVES UP AS DRIVER OF BANDITS

Is Held for Aiding in Holdup  
of Pay Clerk.

David Schlessinger of 224 East Forty-ninth street went to the East Fifty-first street police station last night and, according to the police, told detectives there he drove the taxicab in which four bandits escaped last Saturday, after holding up Herman Brand, a factory pay roll clerk in East Forty-eighth street, and robbing him of \$929.

He was locked up charged with acting in concert with the bandits. Schlessinger told the police he drove the car unwillingly. He was waiting for fares in Forty-ninth street, he said, when the four men jumped into his machine and threatened him with a pistol unless he drove them. He said he drove to Thirty-eighth street and Third avenue, where they left the car.

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Lawn games, \$1.50 to \$21.50.  
Lawn tents, \$18.50 to \$200.  
See-saws, \$5.50 to \$11.  
Athletic slides, \$17.50 to \$40.  
Folding bungalow rockers, \$6.25.  
Portable bungalows, \$130 to \$265.  
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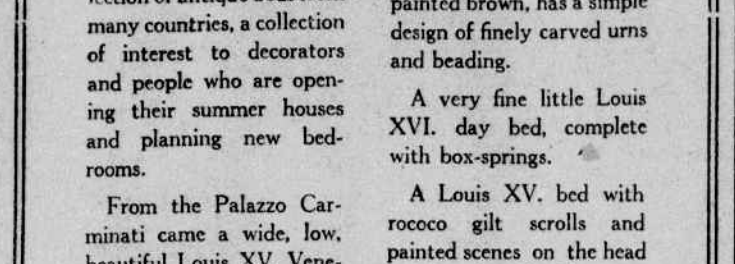
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